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TEN CENTS PER WEEK

LOOSE LEAF SALES URGED BY TOBACCO MEN OF CALLOWAY

Say That All Will Dump
Their Holdings on
Market.

Believed That Felix Ewing
Will Agree to That Plan.

BLOODHOUNDS REACH MURRAY

Murray, Ky., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Although the petition for loose leaf tobacco sales presented Felix Ewing Monday was a simple request and not a demand, it is becoming more and more apparent every day that unless something is done to stay the tide a large per cent of the tobacco grown in the county last year will be hauled to Paris, Tenn., and sold. One well-known farmer put the matter squarely before Mr. Ewing Monday afternoon and informed him as to the true condition of affairs in the county. The farmer had been instrumental in getting up the petition, asking loose sales, and knew what he was talking about. He said that the greatest trouble in securing signers was that men who were dissatisfied with the tobacco to Paris or had made up their minds to do so, without asking any more favors from the association. But it is believed that the petition will be granted Monday, when the buyers will meet Manager Blakemore at Paducah to endeavor to reach an agreement. That the farmers will get what they want is believed from a statement said to have been made by Joe Washington, Ewing's brother-in-law, who circulated among the farmers considerably Monday, that the farmers of this county were bent on selling, and something would have to be done.

The popular demand is for a grader to be appointed to go to the barns of the farmers and fix a price on the tobacco and the farmer be permitted to sell to whom he pleased so he received the graded price.

Confiscates Whisky.

Forty quarts of bottle in bond whisky were confiscated by Deputy Sheriff Bud Waterfield court day, the whisky being hidden away in a barn near the depot. The whisky was confiscated and is now on exhibition in the sheriff's office, where the thirsty may get a look at it but no more. While Deputy Waterfield was waiting for a wagon to haul the booze to town, a country youth came to the barn and attempted to make a purchase in the usual way by laying two dollars down and picking up a quart and walking away. The officer informed the lad that he wanted all the whisky for his own use and the boy went away disappointed, saying that he had only come to see what he was told to do, to get a bottle.

Bloodhounds Arrive.

Murray is all on the qui vive today over the arrival of four trained bloodhounds in charge of a fencer named R. W. Oliver, of Byerly, O., who is making trial runs as a test of the efficiency of the dogs before they are purchased by the county court. Judge Patterson called the fiscal court together in extra session to witness the trial and if the animals prove satisfactory he will make the purchase. The dogs look as if they mean business and it was with difficulty that a negro could be secured to act as "game," as the dogs are so vicious looking.

Republican Committee.

The county committee of the Republican party will meet the second Saturday in March to determine whether or not a ticket for county offices shall be nominated and if so the time and manner of making the nominations. From the present indications the party will at least make nominations for county judge and sheriff.

Marine Engineers' Meeting.

The present management of the local association, No. 24, Marine Engineers, has added many improvements to the already neat and attractive lodge room. The association now has one of the prettiest lodge rooms to be found between Pittsburgh and New Orleans. The time of the regular meetings has been changed to every Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Firemen Overcome

New York, Feb. 24.—Twelve firemen were overcome and one driven temporarily insane at a fire caused by a gas meter explosion in the cellar of a four-story building on First avenue today. Eight houses were burned. Two children were injured and 25 families driven into a rainstorm.

Many Kentucky Towns Flooded by Backwater and Residents Flee to Housetops and Hills For Safety

Ohio River and Tributaries
Are Rising Rapidly and Dan-
ger Point Has Been Passed
at Evansville.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The entire state is suffering from floods.

At Taylorville, in Spencer county, Salt river backed up ten to twelve feet in Main street. People were all forced to take to the second story. Provisions are scarce and some suffering is caused. Fifty people took refuge there on top of a school house. The damage at Louisville is the greatest ever known, due solely to the high water. A large amount of stock was drowned in the distillery sheds, and a heavy loss was caused at Ballard's flour mills. Street car service is crippled. In central and eastern Kentucky all the streams are raging torrents and many towns suffered severely.

At Gradyville, where the disaster of June, 1907, occurred, the water is nearly as high as on that night, but people awoke in time to save themselves and part of their belongings by moving to high ground.

At Salvesan, Mercer county, the home of George Watts was washed from its foundation and floated down the river. The family was saved.

At Scottsville, Allen county, creeks are higher than ever known before. One rural mail carrier, named Johnson, was drowned in a swollen creek near Scottsville. Railroads are blocked. Trains along the Henderson route are blocked by a landslide near Hawesville, the track having slipped nine feet toward the river. Transferring is delayed all around. River is rising rapidly and one of the worst floods in years is feared.

Losses all over the state will amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Maxon Bridge Damaged.

A small bridge near Maxon Mills was damaged yesterday by the heavy flow of water, and the Cairo trains last night were derailed by way of Fulton. Slow orders were had by the trains yesterday in running to Cairo, and yesterday afternoon the bridge was repaired by workmen while the passenger trains went by way of Fulton. The passenger due from Cairo at 7:45 o'clock did not arrive until 10:15 o'clock last night. The trains used the bridges this morning, and the Cairo branch was in service.

Rural Delivery Hampered.

Several of the rural route mail carriers out of this city were compelled to turn back yesterday morning on account of the roads being covered with water, which made it dangerous, as culverts are often washed out. The carriers of routes Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 6 all had to bring their mail back to the postoffice, after going a short distance in the country. Some of the carriers were not able to get more than a mile from the city limits, while others got out five and six miles before turning back.

At Evansville.

Evansville, Feb. 24.—The Ohio river reached the danger stage this morning and is now six inches above 35 feet. The Wabash also is rising. In some places the stream is several miles wide. A serious flood is feared.

Stalled by Snow

Norfolk, Neb., Feb. 24.—For the fourth time in four weeks train service in northern Nebraska and Dakota is tied up by snow drifts. Two trains headed by the Rosebud country are known to be stalled in drifts. Telephone poles are down in many places.

WEATHER.



Partly cloudy and decidedly colder tonight and Thursday temperature below freezing. Highest temperature yesterday, 66; lowest today, 42.

PRIMARY LAW

PROVES SUCCESS IN CHICAGO
ALDERMANIC RACES.

Republican Mayoralty Fight at Springfield Will End in Contest in Court.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The confusion resulting from the fact that the name of Jacob H. Marks appeared twice on the Republican primary ticket for city clerk voted on yesterday, caused the independent candidate, John R. McCabe, to pile up a huge vote, but he was defeated by the Jacob H. Marks, who was endorsed by the party chiefs.

Marks received 29,377 votes while McCabe got 27,424. The second Marks only received 3,066 votes. Aside from this confusion the election passed off peacefully. Political leaders declared the new primary law under which the aldermen were nominated for the first time a success.

Election at Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24.—In the primary election former Lieutenant Governor Lawrence Y. Sherman was nominated as Republican candidate for mayor over Mayor Reece, by eight votes, according to the unofficial figures. A contest will follow.

Jack Chinn for Speaker.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 24.—Jack Chinn, Democratic nominee for the legislature, in Mercer county, is announced for speaker of the house.

Miss Payne Operated On.

S. T. Payne, of La Center, Ky., is the guest of his daughter, Miss Minnie, who recently underwent a surgical operation at St. Mary's Infirmary. Miss Payne is convalescent.—Cairo Bulletin.

Mrs. Lucy Beal.

Mrs. Lucy Beal, 32 years old, died yesterday evening at 6 o'clock at Riverside hospital of acute neuritis of the heart. Mrs. Beal was taken to the hospital several weeks ago from Murray, her home. She is survived by a son, who lives with his grandfather at Murray, Mr. J. S. Irvan, father of Mrs. Beal and a prominent farmer. The body was prepared for burial by Nance & Rogers, undertakers, and was taken to Murray on the N. C. & St. L. railroad this afternoon. Relatives of Mrs. Beal arrived from Murray today.

WANT HEMENWAY FOR SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

Washington, Feb. 24.—Strong efforts are being made to induce Taft to appoint Senator Hemenway secretary of the treasury. Members of congress particularly are vigorous in the campaign. It places Taft in a delicate position, as a refusal would offend congress. The appointment probably would offend Roosevelt, who recently scored Hemenway for his report on the secret service question. Taft, however, may be able gracefully to side-step by pointing out the fact that Hemenway was active in opposing him for the nomination before and during the Chicago convention.

At German Lutheran.

Lenten services will be held at the German Lutheran church tonight at 7:45 o'clock and every Wednesday night during Lent. The Rev. William Grother will preach tonight on "The Crucified Lord Praying for His Enemies."

Z. T. Gatlin Dies

Paris, Tenn., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Z. T. Gatlin, a wealthy business man, well known in Paducah, died at 8 o'clock of Bright's disease after 30 days' illness.

President at New York

New York, Feb. 24.—President Roosevelt and party arrived in New York this morning to attend the Robinson funeral. They were driven immediately to the Robinson home. They will return to Washington after the services on a special car attached to the train, leaving at 11 o'clock. The Robinson funeral party, under a guard of mounted police, went to the Church of the Holy Communion, where services were held. Taft joined the presidential party there.

ROBBERS MURDER WELLS-FARGO MAN AND LOOT OFFICE

Telegraph Operator Hears
Shots and Runs Out, Sees
Nothing Suspicious.

Body Found When Day Man
Goes to Work.

OFFICERS SAY THEY GOT LITTLE

Hutchinson, Kas., Feb. 24.—Police today are seeking robbers who entered the Wells-Fargo office at the Santa Fe depot and dynamited the safe, after killing Agent Haymaker. The uptown office also was robbed. Officers think the same gang looted both. The amount secured is not stated.

Telegraph Operator Clark heard a shot and went outside, but saw no one. The murdered express agent was found when the day man reported at 6 o'clock this morning. The police believe he was murdered with his own pistol, as an empty shell was found and the revolver is missing. Police are looking for Orville Poland, seen about the station during the night. He went home this morning and told his mother he had spent the night with a friend. Since then he has been missing. Express officials say that only \$10 was taken from both offices.

In Court of Appeals.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 24.—In the appellate court White & Son vs. the Ayer & Lord Tie company, Ballard county, affirmed; White & Son vs. Preston, Ballard county, reversed. Cunningham's administrator, vs. the Ayer & Lord Tie company, McCracken appellate filed reply brief.

Articles of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in county court by the J. T. Morgan Lumber company. The capital stock is fixed at \$250,000 with the limit of indebtedness fixed at \$250,000. The stockholders are: J. T. Morgan, 150 shares; J. A. Morgan, 75 shares, and J. F. Shellman, 25 shares.

STORM NEAR EVANSVILLE.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 24.—Houses were unroofed, barns demolished and two stock killed in the cyclone which swept over Center township, four miles north of Evansville today. The homes of Robert Moffitt, Chero Hornby and others were wrecked from the foundations and sleeping people forced out into the fury of the hail and rain storm. Cows, horses and hogs were killed by the flying wreckage.

Buried Alive

Seattle, Feb. 24.—Nineteen were buried alive in a sewer by a cave-in yesterday, which killed two companions. They are being kept alive today by food passed to them through a tube. Relays of workmen are frantically endeavoring to get the men out.

Independent Oil

New York, Feb. 24.—The Texas Oil company, in which Gates is a factor, is preparing to extend its eastern business. It has secured a site for a refinery at Bayonne, N. J., next to the plant of the Standard. It is expected it will put up a vigorous fight in the east.

GOV. PATTERSON WILL BE WITNESS FOR THE COOPERS

Nashville, Feb. 24.—Governor Patterson will be called as a witness for the defense in the Cooper trial. He will be asked to tell about the telephone appointment with the Coopers, which took them towards his home when they met Carmack.

Duncan Cooper resumed the stand today. Adjutant General Tully Brown, it is expected, will also be called by the defense. He is expected to tell of the conference which the Coopers attended, at which Cooper was persuaded not to send the note of warning to Carmack as to what would happen if Cooper's name again appeared in his newspaper.

Boom in Steel Business Follows Cut in Prices and Building Trade Calls For Much Structural Work

Gary, Indiana, Mills Will
Work Two Shifts and All
Others Will Rush to Keep Up
With Orders.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The Inland Steel company, a subsidiary of the trust, announced it will reduce its scale prices today. The boom in the steel business already felt is due to the reduction, and builders putting in large orders for structural steel. The new plant at Gary, Indiana, will be run and an additional force kept going night and day. Other mills near here expect to have to put on an increased force of men and run overtime.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 24.—Following the lead of the steel trust the National Lead company, practically controlling the lead business of the country, declared for an open market. It is said to be due to the fact that the company discovered that the independents have been cutting rates to get business.

NO BASKETBALL GAMES ARE PLAYED THIS WEEK.

No basketball games will be played this week in the city basketball league, owing to some of the players on the teams being unable to get in the games. While the players will be given a rest it is planned to make next week interesting and double-headers will be played on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. The omission of games this week will enable the teams to put in extra practice and the games for next week are expected to be about the hardest since the league started, as every team is striving hard not to be left in the cellar when the curtain will drop on the season.

Kaiser Wilhelm Aground.

New York, Feb. 24.—While trying to enter Gedney channel today on her way up the bay, the North German Lloyd liner, Kaiser Wilhelm, went aground. Tugs have gone to the rescue. They say they will soon float her.

Crawford Infant.

The one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford, of Grahamville, died at 8 o'clock last night after a short illness of pneumonia. The funeral was held this afternoon at the Palestine church and burial at the church cemetery.

BASIS OF OFFENSE IS QUESTIONED IN STANDARD CASES

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Arguments have been prepared in the Standard rehearing in an endeavor to fix the "basis of the offense," the point on which the former case was reversed. The Standard says each settlement, if rebating is shown is a violation of law. The government contends each shipment. In order to get the matter before the court, the Standard's attorneys demand that the government select 36 counts from indictments brought and try the case on them. They say there were 36 settlements.

Business men, instead of farmers, are being summoned today here for the Standard Oil company twenty-nine million dollar fine. Every deputy United States marshal is busy rounding up new veniremen. The panel of 150 is expected to be present when the case is resumed tomorrow. It is expected several days will be required to select the jury.

Calhoun Jury

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—The fourteenth venire of 80 men was summoned today in the Calhoun case. Only 11 temporary jurors out of 1,262 veniremen were examined.

Loose Leaf Sales.

Sales at Bohmer's loose leaf warehouse this morning were 65,000 pounds. The prices ranged from \$4.20 to \$9.50. No rejections.

Chicago Market.

May	High	Low	Close
Wheat	1.16 1/2	1.15 1/4	1.16
Corn	.65 1/2	.65 1/4	.65 1/2
Oats	.55	.54 1/4	.54 1/2
Prov.	17.07	17.05	17.05
Lard	9.72	9.67	9.67
Ribs	8.97	8.92	8.92

SECOND DISTRICT SENATORIAL RACE ABOUT UNDER WAY

It is Believed That John M.
Moore, of Ballard, Cannot
Appeal From Ruling.

Barry May Make County Unit
Bill Issue.

EATON HAS BIG ADVANTAGE

Although John M. Moore, of La Center, candidate for the Democratic nomination for state senator from this, the Second district, says he will appeal to the state committee from Central Committeeman W. J. Barry's decision that the convention shall be held here April 27, it is believed that no appeal lies under the rule governing party procedure. In that case it is not known whether he will make the race. If he does not, it is probable that E. Barry, editor of the Benton Tribune-Democrat will endeavor to organize the counties of Marshall, Ballard and Carlisle against McCracken, whose candidate is W. V. Eaton. Mr. Eaton, who will unquestionably carry his own county solidly, will require only about three votes from the other three counties to win on the first ballot; so the proposition Mr. Barry will encounter is no small one.

Besides the three candidates mentioned, J. B. Wyatt, of Marshall county, has announced. He will be in Mr. Barry's way and Mr. Barry will be in his way, which adds to the strength of the McCracken county man.

It is not believed the local option question will cut much figure in this fight, although it is known that the anti-saloon league leaders have been "feeling out" the candidates. If there had been a popular primary, such as demanded by Mr. Barry, the league would have cut a bigger figure, but the convention reduces the league's influence to a minimum, as the county committee will have complete control.

However, it is probable that Mr. Barry will make his fight on that issue, and had there been a primary, he would have come out and forced the issue in the rural districts. He has made a record in the legislature. Mr. Eaton, who is well known in the city, has not espoused either side of the question as an advocate. He is rather inclined not to commit himself on anything, excepting specific measures.

In the lower house contest, the local optionists also lost in this county, as Eugene Graves, who was renominated on the Democratic ticket, went on record against local option in the last legislature.

Deeds Filed.

P. W. Ritchie deeded to Annie O. Rickman property in Husbands and Jarrett's addition for \$1 and other considerations.

Oklahoma Prohibition.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 24.—Leaders in the Oklahoma house say the bill, which passed the senate yesterday, restricting the sale of intoxicants in Oklahoma, is sure to pass the house and be signed by the governor. It passed it will be the strictest prohibition state in America.

Pardee in Scrap

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 24.—Former Governor Pardee knocked down B. B. Jones at a meeting of the Merchants' Exchange this morning to consider amendments to the proposed city charter. Jones is said to have called Pardee a liar. Jones was taken away by a patrolman.

BIRMINGHAM WILL HAVE NEW HULL AND BOILERS.

Capt. Reeves, of the Reeves Lumber company, of Helena, Ark., was in the city yesterday and contracted with the Fowler & Wolfe Sheet Metal Works on lower Broadway for three new boilers for the steamer Birmingham, which has been moored in the Paducah harbor since last spring. The boilers will be made and put on the boat and then the Birmingham will be towed to Helena, where she will have the boilers fitted for steam and a new hull put on. The Birmingham was brought here last spring and taken on the ways and her hull was torn off to put a new one on. Over some dispute the boat was boxed up and set into the river and it was the intention of the Reeves Lumber company to take her to Marietta to be repaired, but the river fell to such a low stage that it was impossible to get up the Ohio. A new hull has been contracted for at Helena.

STABLE FIRE

CAUSES \$200 DAMAGE EARLY
THIS MORNING.

Dr. H. T. Rivers' Stable in Blaze
When the Fire Department
Arrives.

Fire was discovered in the stable of Dr. H. T. Rivers, 623 North Fourth street, this morning about 6:45 o'clock. The blaze was not discovered until it had gained a good start in the hay and feed in the stable. Horse company No. 1 and truck company No. 4 answered the alarm and extinguished the fire in a few minutes. Fortunately the horse of Dr. Rivers was out in the yard, but his buggy was damaged by the fire. The loss will be about \$200.

New Shanghai Judge.

Shanghai, China, Feb. 24.—Judge Rufus Thayer, appointed to succeed Judge Wilkey, of the United States court here, arrived today and will assume his duties soon.

Another Ballot

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 24.—The thirty-sixth joint ballot for senator was taken today. Hopkins 64, Post 17, Stringer 44, Shurtlett 17, Mason 4, Lowden 1, Sabbath 1, Sherman 2, Duggan 19.

Hubbard-Hicks Case

Attorneys in the case of Ed Hubbard vs. Robert Hicks began their arguments this afternoon in the circuit court. Hubbard was elected city license inspector last December and is suing to oust Hicks, who contends the election was invalid.

To Free Aruajo

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 24.—Socialists have begun a fight to free Antony Aruajo, sentenced to a term in the federal prison at Leavenworth for participation in the recent Mexican revolutionary movement. He edited a paper at Austin, arraigning Diaz. Every Socialist local in the country will be asked to help free him.

AUSTRIA-TURKEY PROTOCOL SIGNED BOYCOTT RAISED

Constantinople, Feb. 24.—The protocol, settling the difference between Austria and Turkey, was signed this afternoon by Grand Vizier Hilmi Pasha and Ambassador Pallavicini. Following the signing an order was issued for the total suspension of the boycott against Austrian goods.

Crown Prince Not Coming.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—Intimate friends of Crown Prince Friedrich say he is not seriously considering the invitation to visit America when the Sonja derklasse expects to go over for the races next summer. They say he would like to go but state reasons will keep him at home.



Hyomel is nature's remedy. It is vaporized air, produced from the mighty eucalyptus trees of inland Australia.

You breathe in this antiseptic air through a hard rubber inhaler that comes with every outfit. It is guaranteed by Gilbert's drug store to cure catarrh, asthma, sore throat, bronchitis, or croup, or money back. A complete outfit is only \$1.00.

M-I-O-N-A Cures Dyspepsia.

Your money back if it don't. Gives immediate relief from heartburn, sour stomach, stomach distress and sick headache. 50 cents a large box at

GILBERT'S DRUG STORE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 4778 Kentucky Statutes, 1903 edition, that Rhodes-Burford Company, as warehousemen, will at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 9th day of March, 1909, at its warehouse in Paducah, Kentucky, located on Jefferson street between Fourth and Fifth streets, proceed to sell at public auction the following described personal property:

- One lady's bicycle.
- Two rockers.
- One carpet.
- Two iron beds.
- One stool chair.
- Six cane chairs.
- One box, contents unknown.
- One hall tree.
- One sewing machine.
- One high chair.
- One dresser.
- Two iron bed springs.
- One bundle carpet.
- One bundle curtain poles.
- One washstand.
- One gas stove.
- One velocipede.

for the purpose of paying storage rent on same amounting to \$19.50 for storage due Rhodes-Burford company from George S. Beard, who stored said enumerated articles in said warehouse on the 12th day of April, 1906, and which articles have been continuously stored in said warehouse of said Rhodes-Burford company aforesaid since said date and on which no storage rent has ever been paid, said storage rent being \$1.50 per month as per contract, and also to pay the costs of advertising and the expense of making said sale. The owner of said property and the one who stored said goods with said Rhodes-Burford company being George S. Beard whose postoffice is Louisville, Ky.

This February 9, 1909.

RHODES-BURFORD CO.



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Manufacturing Opticians
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For all kind of people

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FLORISTS
Paducah Ky.

GOOD CITIZEN WAS MR. NATHAN M. URI

Active in Politics and Public Affairs of His City.

Spoke in Campaigns in Which He Was Interested and Was Always Sure of Hearing.

HIS CAREER AND HIS WORKS.

Concerning Nathan M. Uri, who is buried today, the Courier-Journal said:

Nathan Uri was known throughout the city. He took an active interest in municipal affairs and was a speaker of ability. He had served as an alderman and was known as the friend of the great common people. He was a staunch Democrat and served as a member of the board of Aldermen with rare distinction to himself and the people he represented.

During political campaigns a large crowd was always in attendance when it was known in advance that Mr. Uri was going to make a speech. He called a spade a spade and never minced words in denouncing those he termed "ingrates." He was a strong factor in the fusion movement at the time Joseph T. O'Neal was the nominee, but he afterward went back to his "old love," stating publicly that he realized what a grave mistake he had made, and that he desired to make a public apology for his act.

While a member of the board of Aldermen Mr. Uri waged a strong fight for better street car service and conditions today are as much due to his efforts as to any one other man. Mr. Uri was highly praised at the numerous improvements instituted by the company, and often told his friends that he expected to live long enough to see Louisville have the finest street car service of any city in the United States.

Native of Kentucky.

Mr. Uri was a native Kentuckian. He was born in Paducah in 1852. His early education was received in that city, and he afterward went to Cincinnati, where he entered the Cincinnati High school. He was graduated from that institution and received many honors. Mr. Uri was a great reader of books, and had one of the finest libraries in the city in his home. He served for a time on the board of trustees of the Louisville Free Public Library, and was a strong advocate of providing branch institutions throughout the city for the poor.

In 1877 Mr. Uri was married to Miss Addie Levy, of Paducah. This was four years after he first came to Louisville to engage in business. Three children were born of the union. They are Morris and Walter Uri, of Louisville, and Mrs. M. H. Thachheim, who is now living in Denver, Col.

Engaged in Whisky Business.

When Mr. Uri first came to Louisville he engaged in the whisky business. He immediately became associated with Bernheim Bros., and was elected vice president of the firm. Mr. Uri had previously been engaged in the whisky business in Paducah, but realized that Louisville was a larger field for operations.

Mr. Uri did not remain with Bernheim Brothers long. He decided to withdraw from the firm and embark in business for himself. He continued to engage in the whisky business after the dissolution of the firm, however, and organized the firm of N. M. Uri & Co., with quarters on Main street, between Second street and Third avenue. He was well known throughout the country by whisky men, and was exceedingly popular.

Mr. Uri was always prominently identified with every movement for the betterment of the poor. He was

PRIZE FOOD

Palatable, Economical, Nourishing.

A Nebraska woman has outlined the prize food in a few words; and that from personal experience. She writes:

"After our long experience with Grape-Nuts, I cannot say enough in its favor. We have used this food almost continually for seven years. 'We sometimes tried other advertised breakfast foods, but we invariably returned to Grape-Nuts as the most palatable, economical and nourishing of all.

"When I quit tea and coffee and began to use Postum and Grape-Nuts, I was a nervous wreck. I was so irritable I could not sleep nights, had no interest in life.

"After using Grape-Nuts a short time I began to improve and all these ailments have disappeared and now I am a well woman. My two children have been almost raised on Grape-Nuts, which they eat three times a day.

"They are pictures of health and have never had the least symptom of stomach trouble, even through the most severe siege of whooping cough they could retain Grape-Nuts when all else failed.

"Grape-Nuts food has saved doctor bills, and has been, therefore, a most economical food for us."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in packages. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

DON'T BE BALD.

Nearly Anyone May Secure a Splendid Growth of Hair.

We have a remedy for hair troubles that cannot be surpassed. It has a record of growing hair and curing baldness in 93 out of every 100 cases where used according to directions for a reasonable length of time. It will even grow hair on bald heads, if the scalp is not glazed and shiny. That may seem like a strong statement. It is, and we mean it to be, and no one should doubt it until they have put our claims to an actual test.

We are so sure that Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will cure dandruff, prevent baldness, stimulate the scalp and hair roots, stop falling hair and grow new hair, that we personally give our positive guarantee to refund every penny paid us for Rexall "93" Hair Tonic in every instance where it does not do as we claim or fails to give entire satisfaction to the user.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is as pleasant to use as clear spring water. It is delightfully perfumed and does not grease or gum the hair. We have it in two sizes. Prices 50c. and \$1.00. We urge you to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic on our recommendation, and with our guarantee back of it, you certainly take no risk. W. B. McPherson, Druggist, Paducah.

a member of Adath Israel Temple and was a regular attendant at all services. He belonged to the Standard club, the most exclusive Jewish club in the city, and was identified with the Mystic Shrine and the Louisville lodge of Elks.

Interested in Theatricals.

Mr. Uri took a great interest in theatricals. He often stated that nothing was as improving to the mind as a good play of the right kind, and two years ago backed his son, Morris Uri, in a theatrical venture. The success of his son was most gratifying to Mr. Uri, and he was never happier than when Morris Uri brought one of his own shows to Louisville for three performances.

He took an active interest in athletics of all kinds, being particularly fond of baseball, and was a regular attendant at the game when Louisville was represented in the big league. He became disgusted, however, when this city was relegated to the rear, but stated to intimate friends that any time it was found that Louisville could secure a big league franchise again that he could be called upon for liberal backing.

Man of Strong Convictions.

"Nathan Uri was a man of strong convictions, both in politics and business," said a friend who knew Mr. Uri well. "He always took an intense interest in civic affairs and during the past ten years had been more or less active in public life, serving faithfully and unselfishly with the knowledge that he had done something for the city as his only hope of reward. He led as a member of the board of aldermen and as one of the first trustees of the Louisville Free Public Library he set an example for zeal and efficiency which went far toward making the original board of trustees a standard for that organization. Louisville can ill afford to lose men of Uri's character."

Medicine That Is Medicine.

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PLANS WILL BE CONSIDERED BY BOARD.

Met This Afternoon to Adopt Specifications for Lighting Plant.

The board of public works met this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in called session to consider the plans for the brick stack and boiler foundation for the city lighting plant. City Engineer Washington had the plans completed at the last regular meeting, but owing to some alterations it was decided to have a special meeting to consider the improvements. The specifications will be approved, and bids will be advertised for the next regular meeting, which will be March 2.

Success at Last.

"Jack London finds Australia a good deal like our own Wild West," said a San Franciscoan. "I met him in Melbourne. He had already picked up a bushel of local stories and sketches.

"He told me a story of an actor who had just returned from a long tour inland. This actor said of his tour:

"The first night, sir, in Uluwala, I was hissed, sir hissed; the second night I was egged, sir, egged; but the third night, sir—

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"—the third night, sir, I played behind a net."

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INTERESTING DEBATE IN CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

"Resolved that men without children should pay school tax," was the subject of an interesting debate held yesterday afternoon by the civil government class in the A, eighth grade, of the Washington school. Carl Her-

man made the argument for the affirmative side and was awarded the decision by the judges who were: Bertha Carter, Thompson Warren and John Thompson. The negative argument was defended by Frank White. Both of the young speakers handled their

subject well, and their speeches showed good preparation, and a study of the question. The civil government class is taught by Miss Emma Acker, and it is the intention to have the debates at frequent intervals during the study. Next Tuesday afternoon the question: "Resolved that there

should be an educational qualification for suffrage." The debates are held in the afternoon, and although only the pupils are present, the discussions are interesting.

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Personally appeared before me this Feb. 1, 1909, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of January, 1909, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

My commission expires January 1, 1912.

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Daily Thought.

Fools must be taught by experience.—Livy.

All hands are manning the pumps at Cairo.

Mr. Taft went to New York city to seek seclusion in which to write.

The conservatives in congress are becoming rather radical on some subjects.

Senator-elect Theodore Burton, of Ohio, has been blackballed by the Ananias club.

We are left to conjecture why the oil trust desires a Chicago jury, instead of unknown countrymen.

No decision has been made by the court of appeals in regard to the double hanging, originally arranged for Friday; but they say no noise is good noise.

After March 4 we shall be able to ascertain whether the recent increase in tonnage indicates the growing volume of trade, or merely the restlessness of Mr. Taft.

IDEALS IN GOVERNMENT.

"The trouble with our laws," declared a scholar recently, "is that they are based on ideals and cannot be enforced. Their non-enforcement brings all law into contempt, England's laws are all the result of compromise."

Very good, Mr. Scholar. Your religion also is not that idealistic? You do not pretend to perfection. You fall far short of living up to your religious principles, don't you? Doesn't the failure of all believers to live up to the ideal of their religion tend to bring their religion into contempt?

Now, why not adopt the common-sense view of the matter? You cannot live a perfect life. Your religion teaches that. Your failure reflects on your professions in the eyes of the unbelievers. Why not adopt a compromise religion? It is simple enough. You know about the standards of living a man is capable of attaining. Adopt certain regulations based on those standards, and the unbelievers will cease their contempt for your professions.

Mr. Scholar knows what would be the result of such a standard of religion, and we know what would result from such a standard of government in a Democracy. We have not attained the highest development of our peculiar form of government. By maintaining our ideals we are constantly advancing toward the goal of perfection, which in all reason we shall never reach this side the pearly gates.

Mr. Scholar, too, would remember, if he only thought as much as the reads, that religion is brought into contempt only of those who are seeking flaws in it to excuse their own refusal to conform; and laws are held in contempt only of the lawless.

In our government, as in our religion, we can establish certain ideals and by constant striving toward them elevate our standards of living; but we cannot, by compromising our principles, hope to elevate our ideals eventually by first raising our standard of living.

SOME STORIES

AROUND TOWN

It was in the Palmer House bar about 8 o'clock in the evening. Four visitors from the "sticks" walked boldly in the door, and then seemed to wither in the flash of light from the prism glasses, the sheen of the bar fixtures and the unaccustomed luxury of it all. They sidled over to a table with four chairs, that appeared to offer a very haven of obscurity, and having sunk into the seats, they grinned at one another and gazed around with wonder-struck eyes. As is always the case, one of the quartet was observant and imitative. Once he got his bearings he proceeded to watch a customer with the evident intention of "doing as the Romans did." The customer took an olive from the end of the bar and applied it to his lips. A moment afterward Mr. Josh Wise was at the end of the bar with a hand in the olive dish. He grinned a grin of recognition at the plums and put one in his mouth, while he took two more from the dish. The observant bartender longed for a picture machine to catch the transformation of the rube's face. The grin faded into an ashen look of helpless despair, then astonishment took possession of his lineaments, to be succeeded by an expression of good humored appreciation, that dawned like the warm glow of sunshine on a June morning, and by the time he spat out the olive Josh was actually chuckling.

"Pretty good! Pretty good!" the bartender heard him say, and he chuckled again, as he carried the two olives over to the table and presented them to two of his comrades.

One smiled the same smile of recognition that lighted up the face of Josh at the bar, as he put the olive in his mouth, and then they all burst forth in a roar of laughter, when the second one made a wry face and spat out the nasty mouthful.

"That's a pretty good joke," called out the first one, now thoroughly at home, to the bartender. "How did you fix them plums?"

Kentucky Kernels

Shrimers initiate 50 at Louisville. Mayfield city jail plan postponed. J. W. Williams killed at Greensburg.

Loose leaf pool sale at Hopkinsville Friday.

Dr. W. G. Reid 65, dies at Crab Orchard.

Blue Grass man are for duty on India hemp.

Hampton Bros. store robbed at Owensboro.

Jesse Aldridge killed by machinery at Owensboro.

Farmers warned against planting too much tobacco.

Kentucky hardware dealers in session at Louisville.

Central Kentucky will breed mules from thoroughbreds.

Prestonburg may have monument to James A. Garfield.

Ward Metcalf and John Mallory in duel at Brooksville.

Robert Brady, contractor of Henderson, committed suicide.

Louisville prepares for Southern Baptist convention May 12-17.

Chastian Lawrence accidentally kills Gordon Richey at Glasgow.

Night rider case against J. M. Weaver, Hopkinsville, dismissed by Judge Cook.

Breathitt Republicans instruct for N. Evans, of Beattyville for representative.

James Blackburn, former U. S. marshal, brother of Jo breaks hip at Versailles.

Monument to be placed over grave of Hannah Boone, Daniel's sister, at Tompkinsville.

Whit Handley must answer charge of killing James Miller 3 years ago at Elizabethtown.

Miss Elizabeth Hart, 75, buried at Paris. A great-granddaughter of Nathaniel Hart of Revolutionary war fame.

Jury hung in suit of Newt. Hazlett's widow for damages at Shelbyville from his slayer in night rider trouble.

LYCEUM CONCERT COMPANY FAILED TO REACH PADUCAH.

The Lyceum Concert company that was to have appeared here last night under the auspices of the Paducah chapter, U. D. C., for the benefit of the Confederate monument fund, failed to arrive. They were due on the Cairo train last night, but that was forced by washouts to go around by Fulton and was several hours late in getting in. The manager telegraphed from Cairo that it would put the company here too late to give the concert, so the date was cancelled. It is presumed that the company went direct from Cairo to its next appointment, Westchester, Ill., so as not to altogether upset its schedule of dates.

The chapter did not know of the train's delay in time to notify the public in any way. Notwithstanding the unpleasant evening quite a large audience had gathered at the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church for the concert. Much regret was expressed, especially by the friends of Mr. Karl Smith, who had anticipated hearing the popular young cellist again.

A clever woman is one who is mistress of tact and knows how to make the social wheels run smoothly and well.

COTTON FUTURE SHOWS INCREASE

Average of Southern Staple in Greater.

Outlook for Winter Wheat Is Decrease of Five Per Cent Acreage.

WHERE DOES CORN GO TO?

The United States in the crop year of 1908 added more than a million spindles to its consuming capacity, although it took nearly half a million less bales of cotton for consumption than in the year before, says the Wall Street Journal. This tendency throughout the cotton textile world of spindleage to run ahead of actual consumption has been a feature of the trade for the greater part of the past two years. Out of this relation is developing a condition in the industrial world which is giving no little concern to interests that had been counting on a revival of trade demand long before the beginning of the cotton planting season in the southern states for 1909.

Comparison of the sources of supply of spinnable cotton with the mill takings by countries shows the two aspects of the problem from the points of view of producer and consumer. The production for raw cotton in percentages below are for the crop year ended with August 31, 1908 as are also the consumption figures:

Production Per Cent.	Consumption Per Cent.
United States 65.9	United States 23.9
British India 14.8	United Kingdom 20.4
Egypt 7.8	Germany 9.5
Russia 3.8	British India 9.5
China 2.6	Russia 7.9
Brazil 2.3	Italy 5.4
All others 2.3	France 6.0
	Japan 4.7
	All others 14.0

From the above table it is apparent that the demand for cotton fiber is much more widely distributed in the world's trade, considered geographically, than is the supply. Six different countries make up nearly all of the areas which have any significance in the production of raw cotton, while twice as many political groups are concerned in the regularity and abundance of yield for their manufacturing industries.

Yet the production and the consumption of cotton occupy a very different position so far as development goes. Producing countries enlarge their acreage much more slowly than consuming countries add to their spinning capacity. As the east and the Mediterranean countries, and such rapidly developing powers as Mexico take to manufacturing for their own domestic needs, as well as for exports, some success in enlarging their cotton acreage, but not correspondingly.

It is this difference in the tendencies of agriculture and manufacture that presents to the cotton world a problem of much more vital significance than the ordinary observer is inclined to give it. At home, where we consume about 40 per cent of the crop we grow, the future does not weigh upon us with such concern as the German, the French or even the British, who put capital into colonial cotton ventures, give to it. Last year the world's consumption of American cotton was conservatively estimated, even on three-fourths of the maximum capacity of the mills, at approximately 12,500,000 bales. And that was in the face of a crop of little more than 11,000,000 bales of 500 pounds each.

The potential consumption of the world's cotton mills, with their increased spindleage of the past eight or nine years, is not now less than 21,000,000 bales. The demand has meanwhile advanced 24.2 per cent. Mill building goes on steadily, acreage is stationary, or nearly so. It must be evident that the present dullness in manufacturing demand, in which American spot cotton middlings on either side of the Atlantic hovers about 10c a pound, is only a lull in

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spinnings competition for cotton. The end of the latest crop year, in spite of depression that was worldwide, left the markets with a stock of only 2,207,558 bales on hand on August 31, 1908. The future is all the more interesting with the price of fiber hardly sufficient to maintain the acreage in the United States, which supplies two-thirds of the world's milling needs.

Wheat Crop Outlook.

The main fact which has been definitely ascertained about winter wheat at this stage of its progress is the decrease of 1,762,000 acres, or 5.6 per cent, less than the area sown in the fall of 1907. There are now under growth, according to the December returns of the department of agriculture, 29,844,000 acres in winter wheat. The acreage in rye was estimated at 4 per cent, less than that sown in the preceding year, bringing the total slightly below 2,000,000 acres. These two broad crops therefore afford the country an area of 31,819,000 acres. The records of winter and spring wheat acreage and yields are as follows for eight years:

	Winter.	Spring.
1908	234,080,000	17,730,000
1907	224,645,000	17,079,000
1906	242,372,966	17,705,868
1905	264,516,655	17,990,061
1904	219,464,171	17,209,020
1903	237,954,585	16,954,457
1902	258,274,342	17,620,998
1901	289,625,717	19,655,813

As a partial offset to the decrease in winter wheat acreage in the United States account should be taken of the rapid expansion of Canadian spring wheat areas. Threshing returns estimate the yield there last year at 119,200,000 bushels, of which the three provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta produced practically 100,000,000 bushels.

What Becomes of Corn.

People often wonder, particularly those who have traveled for hundreds of miles through the corn belt, what becomes of corn which is grown every year, says the Corn Reporter. In the year 1908, when the total crop was 2,666,000,000 bushels, 241,000,000 bushels were consumed in flour and grist mill products, 8,000,000 bushels in the manufacture of starch, 9,000,000 bushels for malt liquors, 17,000,000 bushels in the production of distilled liquors, 40,000,000 bushels for glucose, 190,000,000 bushels for export and 13,000,000 bushels for seed, making a total of 518,000,000 bushels, or 19.3 per cent of the entire crop. The remaining 80.7 per cent, or 2,148,000,000 bushels, seems to have been used almost entirely for feeding purposes.

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APPOINTMENT OF INQUIRY COURT

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Bill Passes Senate, President Authorized to Appoint Court—Appropriation Bill.

OCCUPY SESSION IN HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The president is authorized to appoint a court of inquiry to determine the qualifications for re-enlistment of the discharged negro soldiers of the 25th Infantry regiment who were accused of shooting up Brownsville, Texas, on the night of August 13-14, 1906. The Aldrich bill for this purpose was passed by a party vote of 54 to 26 except that Teller voted with the Republicans for the passage of the bill.

The bill is a compromise of a measure approved by President Roosevelt, Senator Foraker and all Republican members of the committee on military affairs. The court of inquiry will act as a board to consider applications for the re-enlistment and recommend the restoration to duty of such soldiers not found guilty of complicity in the affair.

The senate also passed the fortifications bill, with an appropriation of \$8,320,111, and a diplomatic and consular bill carrying \$10,640,384.

In the House.
Washington, Feb. 24.—Appropriation bills mainly occupied the house today. The sundry civil bill was considered but progress was slow. The fortifications, legislative executive and judicial, diplomatic and consular and postoffice appropriations bills were sent to conference.

Clarke of Alabama unsuccessfully attempted to secure an investigation by a committee on the judiciary into the writing of a recent letter by Secretary Bacon apologizing for Rainey's remarks regarding President Obaldia, of Panama. Clarke's object being to ascertain if Bacon's reference to Rainey constituted an abuse of the privilege of the house.

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THE REMARKABLE CRAZE FOR BAR-GAIN COUNTERS

In an age remarkable for silly crazes, ranging from freak religions to freak puppy dogs, perhaps the craziest craze of all is that very prevalent one for cheapness.

Our ancestors believed in the truth of the saying, "the best is cheapest in the end," but in our "wisdom" we pretend to know better than that, and in grabbing at the shadow of cheapness we lose the bone of value for our money.

Unquestionably many things, principally in the way of foodstuffs, are really cheap nowadays, compared with what they were generations ago.

But that is not the kind of cheapness I mean. It is the craze for "shoddy" that is such a widespread and in many ways disastrous characteristic of these times. It shows itself chiefly in the purchase of worthless substitutes and imitations, and women are the chief sinners in this respect.

For the so-called "cheap" article is generally worthless, and is, therefore, exorbitantly dear, however small may be its price.

Take furniture, for instance. Our grandmothers—I am talking more particularly of people of moderate means—spent as much on furnishing one room as the modern young matron spends on furnishing an entire house or flat. What the former had was good; it appreciated rather than depreciated in value, and lasted forever.

But the latter has a houseful of "sticks" that wouldn't fetch the price of kindling wood at auction, and, moreover, have everlastingly to be renewed and replaced.

Grandmother made a sound investment bearing good interest in the way of wear and usefulness. The modern woman, who is tainted with this mania for cheapness, gets no interest on her furniture money. On the contrary, she is spending her capital all the time, and having practically refurnished her house half a dozen times, in the end she still has nothing worth having.

It is the same with dress. The average woman nowadays has probably six dresses to her grandmother's one. But is she as well dressed as the old lady was? I think not. Cheap clothes simply shriek their shoddiness aloud.

I know some feminine readers will say—I have heard the argument advanced—that they buy cheap blouses knowing are so cheap they can buy several at a time, and thus always have something fresh to put on.

Well, as I have said, shoddy is never tongue-tied.

But, apart from that, how do they know that when their quickly worn out wardrobe is exhausted they will be able to afford to replenish it?

Apart from the economic question, this mania for cheap finery is remarkably silly on the part of women who give way to it.

A man who wears "flash" clothes or jewelry simply invites mistrust, and I don't see why the same should not apply to women workers, who are perhaps most given to meretricious adornment.

Not that the vice—for it almost amounts to one—is confined to working women only. One sees far too many women in the position of

ladies flaunting imitation diamonds and pearls, and one strong characteristic of the modern woman in general appears to be a strong objection to paying a fair price for a good article.

This brings me to the point that the craze for cheapness is not only silly but pernicious.

In the first place, it puts a premium on dishonest trading. The "cheap woman" requires the shopman to sell her articles as "hand-made," "all wool," or what not, at a price impossible if they were genuine. The trader has either to lie or lose her custom.

In the next place, the craze for cheapness is ruining the crafts of this country.

I am not going to embark on fiscal questions, but perhaps it is the craze for the cheap and nasty far more than free trade that enables the foreigner successfully to dump his shoddy goods here. The British workman was the finest in the world, but for long there has been no demand for good work and he is losing his skill.

Here is a case in point: A friend of mine has an infant's robe which served him some 40 years ago, has since served his three children and is still as good as new, despite the machinations (in more senses than one) of the modern laundress.

Desiring to have other infantile garments made of the same material, his wife took it to a first class firm of baby outfitters, only to be told, "Ah, madam, you can't get stuff like this nowadays." The best she could get, paying a fair price, was quickly "worn out."

It used to be said, "there is nothing like leather." Nowadays there are a hundred and one things "like" leather, including brown paper. But all said and done, there is nothing like leather, if we only had the gumption to realize this economic truth.

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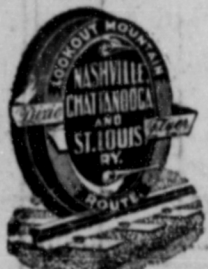
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A Gentleman From Mississippi

By THOMAS A. WISE

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CHAPTER III.

HOW TO PLEASE A SENATOR.

THE International Hotel in Washington was all bustle and bustle. Was it not preparing for its first senator since 1885? No less a personage than the Hon. William H. Langdon of Mississippi, said to be a warm personal friend of Senator Stevens, one of the leading members of his party at the capital, had engaged a suit of rooms for himself and two daughters.

"Ain't it the limit?" remarked the chief clerk to Bud Haines, correspondent of the New York Star. "The senator wrote us that he was coming here because his old friend, the late Senator Moseley, said back in '75 that this was the best hotel in Washington and where all the prominent men ought to stay."

Haines, the ablest political reporter in Washington, had come to the International to interview the new senator, to describe for his paper what kind of a citizen Langdon was. He glanced around at the dingy woodwork, the worn cushions, the locked and uneven tiles of the hotel lobby, and smiled at the clerk. "Well, if this is the new senator's idea of princely luxury he will fit right into the senatorial atmosphere." Both laughed derisively. "By the way," added Haines, "I suppose you'll raise your rates now that you've got a senator here."

The clerk brought his fist down on the register with a thud.

"We could have them every day if we wanted them. This fellow, though, we'll have all winter, I guess. His son's here now. Been breaking all records for drinking."

"Congressman Norton of Mississippi has been down here with him a few times. There's young Langdon is now."

Haines turned quickly, just in time to bump into a tall, slender young man, who was walking unevenly in the direction of the cafe.

"Well, can't you see what you're doing?" muttered the tall young man thickly.

Haines smiled. The chap who has played halfback four years on his college eleven and held the boxing championship in his class is apt to be good natured. He does not have to take offense easily. Besides, Randolph Langdon was plainly under the influence of whiskey. So Haines smiled pleasantly at the taller young man.

"Beg your pardon—my fault," Haines said.

"Well, don't let it occur again," mumbled Langdon as he stroled with uneven dignity toward the door. Bud Haines laughed.

"I guess young Langdon is going to be one of the boys, isn't he?"

"He's already one of them when it comes to a question of fluid capacity," laughed some one behind him, and Bud whirled to meet the gaze of his friend, Dick Cullen, representative of one of the big Chicago dailies.

"You down here to see Langdon, too?" commented Bud.

Cullen nodded. "Queer roost where this senator is to hang out, isn't it?"

"It can't be a rich one, then," suggested Haines.

Cullen chuckled. "Perhaps he's an honest one."

"I hadn't thought of that. You always were original, Dickie," commented Haines dryly. "By the way, what do you know about him?"

"Nothing, except that the Evening Call printed a picture of his eldest daughter—says she's the queen daughter of the south, a famous beauty, rich planter for a father, mother left her a fortune."

"She'll cut quite a social caper with this hotel's name on her cards, won't she?" broke in Haines as he led Cullen to a seat to await the expected legislator, whose train was late.

"I don't know very much about him myself," said Haines. "All I've been able to discover is that Stevens said the word which elected him, and that looks bad. Great glory, when I think what a senator of the right sort has a chance to do here in Washington—a nonpartisan, straight out from the shoulder man!" He paused to shake his head in disgust. "You know these fellows here in the senate don't even see their chance. Why, if you and I didn't do any more to hold our jobs than they do we'd be fired by wire the first day. They know just the old political game, that's all."

"It's a great game, though, Bud," stighed Cullen longingly, for, like many newspaper men, he had the secret feeling that he was cut out to be a great politician.

"Sure, it's a great game, as a game," agreed Haines. "So is bridge, and stud poker, and three card monte, and flim-flam generally. Take this new man Langdon, for instance. Chosen by Stevens he'll probably be perfectly obedient, perfectly easy going, perfectly

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"Big Bud" Langdon, "A Gentleman from Mississippi."

blind and—perfectly useless. What's wanted now is to get the work done, not play the game."

Thoroughly a cynic through his years of experience as a newspaper man, which had shown the inside workings of many important phases of the seemingly conventional life of this complex world, Cullen pretended unbounded enthusiasm.

"Hear! Hear!" he shouted. "All you earnest citizens come vote for Reform Haines. I'm for you, Bud. What do I get in your cabinet? I've joined the reformers, too, and, like all of them, me for P-U-R-I-T-Y as long as she gives me a meal ticket."

But not even Cullen could make Haines consider his views on the necessity of political regeneration to be ridiculous. His optimism could not be snuffed out, for he was a genuine believer that the natural tendency of humankind was to do right. Wrong he believed to be the outcome of unnatural causes. This quality, combined with his practical knowledge of the world and his courage, made him a formidable man, one who would one day accomplish big things—if he got the chance.

"You know you can't shut me up, Dick," was his response to Cullen's oratorical flight. "I'm going to have my say. I don't see why a senator shouldn't be honest. All I want them to do is to play a new game. Let 'em at least seem to be honest, attend to their business, forget politics. The country sends them here to work, and if they do the work the people really don't care a hang what party they belong to."

"Come out of it, Bud. Your brain is wabbling," yawned Cullen wearily. "I'll buy a drink if you'll quiet down. Let's be comfortable till this fellow Langdon appears."

He caught his friend by the arm and in spite of protest dragged him off to the cafe just as young Langdon and Congressman Norton came down through the lobby.

Though but few years older than Randolph Langdon, Charles Norton had long exercised strong influence over him because of his wider experience in the world's affairs. Like his father, young Langdon had stayed close to the plantation most of his life, particularly after leaving school, devoting his attention to studying the business of conducting the family's big estate. Norton brought him the atmosphere of the big outside world he yearned to see even as did his sister Carolina, and he imitated Norton's manners, his dress and mode of speech. The congressman's habit of confiding in Randolph, a subtle compliment, was deeply appreciated by a continual advertiser of Norton's many virtues to Carolina and to his father, all of which the congressman knew.

"That Norton's political career was the outcome of Carolina Langdon's ambition to shine in gay society was known to his friends as well as his family, and his desire to win her and place her where she could satisfy every whim had developed almost to a frenzy. Seeing evidences of Senator Stevens' vast influence, he did not hesitate to seek a close relationship with him, and the senator was clever enough to lead Norton to consider him his friend."

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Coaling Commenced and Bad Weather Continues—Sperry and Officers Entertained in Richmond.

SAILORS MAY PARADE NORFOLK

Fort Monroe, Va., Feb. 24.—The bad weather which greeted the battleship fleet at the Virginia capes, the worst the ships have experienced in any port visited on their way around the world, continued today.

The ships were made snug and tight for the storm and only a small American ensign at the after flag-staff and the commanding officers' flags at the peaks were to be seen in place of the rainbow of streamers which clothed the vessels of the fleet in gala attire.

Nearly half the ships began coaling in spite of the weather. It is hoped that the last of the ships will have been coaled by Saturday in order that the men may parade in Norfolk on that day, in response to the invitation of the citizens of that city.

One of the most interesting sights was the departure of a large number of enlisted men, whose terms of service had expired. As they left the side of the vessel on which they had served, the departing men were given lusty cheers by the sailors. The blue jackets brought home all manner of souvenirs from every country visited. The cruise has filled them with stories for friends at home for all time to come.

A number of the sailors who left were long enlisted men who undoubtedly will come back into the service before three months have elapsed. They have raved considerably money on the trip and are anxious to go home and tell of their experiences. If they re-enlist within 90 days they will be rated as having never left the navy and will receive increased pay, which comes with every re-enlistment.

The reception tendered in the picturesque Fort Monroe club by the army officers stationed here to the officers of the fleet and their wives was one of the social events. Last night there was a ball at the Chaubert. The entertaining for the officers will continue almost incessantly while the ships are here, and the hospitalities on shore will be returned aboard the ships as soon as the coaling and inspection days are over.

Lieutenant Commander Ridley McLean, fleet ordnance officer, presided at a meeting of the ordnance officers on board the flagship Connecticut. These officers are meeting constantly to exchange views on the working of the fire control system at the last battle target practice in Manila Bay and it is expected a decided improvement in the system will result from their reports and suggestions. The gunnery work of the navy is our proudest boast, the officers believing their efficiency at the targets is superior to that of any other navy.

Banquet at Richmond.
 Richmond, Va., Feb. 24.—A graceful homage was paid by the southland to the globe girdling American battleship fleet in this old capital of the Confederacy. "We welcome you to the hearts of a people who yield to no one in their devotion to the American navy nor in loyalty to our flag."

This sentiment, feelingly expressed at the luncheon by Mayor Richardson in welcoming Rear Admiral Sperry, Rear Admiral Wainwright and 34 officers under the former's command to this city, found an echo in the brief address of Sperry, who spoke warmly of the southerners among the officers of his fleet.

The luncheon, at which men of all walks of civil life of all ages and of unyielding loyalty to the cause of Lee and Jefferson, fraternized in staunch fellowship with the fighting men of the navy, was given by the Richmond chamber of commerce. In his address Sperry pointed out that the voyage around the world was no junket.

"While we have been encircling the globe," he said, "we have doubled the score of last year's target practice. The fleet's efficiency has increased 25 per cent by the economy of coal consumption due to hard and faithful work of the men below the decks. When a contest comes a navy must know how to get there, and how to stay there when it gets there. Since the people generally are only impressed by what they see, it is necessary, if you desire the peace of the world, that you show your fleet."

Slumber—I see a young lady who's engaged to be married had a bath yesterday. Hoofbeats—Is that a fact? Slumber—Yep. Dis newspaper says her friends gave her a shower.—Judge.

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Very Fine Imported Black Taffeta—This is strictly a dress grade, 36 inches wide; a very unusually fine quality; rich, high, natural luster, which is a positive indication of being the best and a surety that it will never become tender. Nowhere can the equal be secured in a regular way for less than \$1.25 a yard. Our quotation for the week will be, a yard.....98c

New Silks are constantly arriving every day—Hundreds of bolts of new Foulards, new Pongees and new Satin Weaves are among the latest arrivals.

See Windows.

Exceptional Values Wool Dress Fabrics

New Spring Styles, varying from the quiet, soft toned combinations to the most extreme, which are at once daring and beautiful, are now shown in surprisingly large assortments. Among the many special prices which prevail are: We offer Imported German Suitings in new weaves and colors as follows: 43 inch Cloth Colors Wisteria, tans and browns, in plain and fancy at, per yard.....\$2.00

Every Receda, tans and fancy stripes, 45 inches, at, per yard.....\$1.50

Satin Faced Fabrics in postal shades, 45 inches, at, per yard.....\$1.50

42 inch Plain Prunellas, all colors, plain and fancy, at, per yard.....\$1.00

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Fabrics

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For 23 years we have been recognized as the "Carpet House" of our community. Our prices and quality have the power of attracting trade from all over the state and many of our sales are made to families in the larger cities of Kentucky, Tennessee and Illinois. We are making exceptional offerings during this sale and if you are in the least desirous of getting value and quality in Carpets, Rugs and Curtains, now is the opportune time. For the last two days of this sale we will add many new values and, considering the fact that many of the "good things" have been snapped up, there still remains unquestionable bargains in every line of Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, etc. Note the four specials below:

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1 lot of Cable Net Curtains, white and Arab, finished tops ready for hanging. These are real \$2.50 values, offered special Friday and Saturday at.....\$1.75

Church Services For Ash Wednesday and Lenten Season Are Announced.

Today is the beginning of Lent; this is Ash Wednesday and Lent will be observed for a period of 40 days by the Catholic, Episcopal and Lutheran churches of this city.

Services at the St. Francis de Sales Catholic church for today and for this week: Mass at 8 o'clock this morning; sermon and benediction at 7:30 o'clock tonight; mass every morning at 7 o'clock and on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock "The Way of the Cross."

The regulations for Lent, which were read in full in all of the Catholic churches throughout the diocese on Sunday, as laid down by Bishop McClosky, are as follows:

1. The use of fresh meat, as also of eggs, is permitted at any time on Sundays, Tuesdays and Saturdays in Ember week and Holy Saturday.

2. Custom also allows the use of eggs, butter, milk, etc., at the evening collation, and also at the principal meal on the days which the use of fresh meats is forbidden.

3. The quantity of food allowed at a collation in this diocese, is bread, fruit, salads, vegetables, cold fish, butter, milk and eggs.

4. A small piece of bread, with a cup of coffee, tea or chocolate, can be taken in the morning.

5. Where it is not convenient to take the principal meal at noon, it is lawful to invert the order, taking the collation then and the dinner in the evening.

6. Drippings and lard may be used in the preparation of the kinds of food which are permitted.

7. On Sundays there is neither fasting nor abstinence.

8. On the days, including Sundays, on which permission is granted to eat meat, both flesh-meats and fish are not to be used at the same meal.

9. Those who are exempt from the precept of fasting can partake of flesh-meats at every meal during the day when, by special indulgence, flesh-meats and fish are not to be used at the same meal.

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The time for fulfilling the Easter

precept of communion in the diocese extends from the first Sunday in Lent to Trinity Sunday inclusive.

By virtue of the indulgence granted to us for ten years by the Holy See, March 15, 1895, and renewed and extended to March 15, 1915, we permit to all workmen and their families the use of flesh-meats once a day on all fast days and abstinence days throughout the year, with the exception of Friday, Ash Wednesday, the Wednesday and Saturday of Holy Week and the eve of Christmas.

Those who are exempt from the obligations of fasting are free to take meat more than once on the days mentioned.

Those who avail themselves of this indulgence are not allowed to use flesh-meats and fish at the same meal, and they are earnestly exhorted to perform some other act of mortification such as abstinence from intoxicating liquors.

Grace Episcopal.

Grace Episcopal church have Lenten services for the week as follows: Ash Wednesday, Penitential office and holy communion at 11 a. m. Service at 4:30 p. m.

Litany service and address 7:30 p. m.

Thursday evening prayer and address 4:30 p. m.

Friday, Litany services and address 4:30 p. m.

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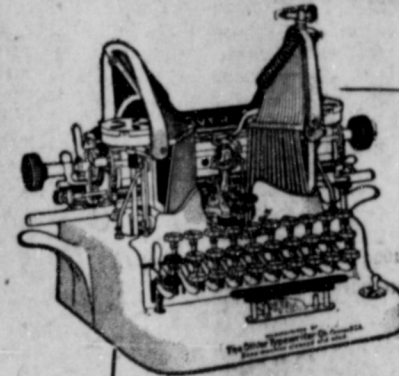
WRESTLING MATCH

ANOTHER INTERESTING EVENT FOR FRIDAY NIGHT.

"Wild Joe" Collins Will Appear With Omaha Wonder in Catch-as-Catch-Can Bout.

The second athletic event will be presented at the Kentucky theater Friday night. On that occasion Champion Joe Collins will meet a wonder from Omaha in a catch-as-catch-can, two falls in three bout on the mat. It promises to be as pretty an exhibition as the last one. Local amateur wrestlers and boxers also will have goes, and a battle royal will add to the hilarity of the occasion.

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